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RE: Susan Frazier, Complainant/Petitioner, v. Utilities Services of South Carolina, Inc., Defendant/Respondent. Docket No.: 2010-163-W

Dear Mr. Butler:

Enclosed please find the Proposed Consent Order of Withdrawal with Prejudice in the above-referenced matter which has been executed by all parties and is submitted to you in accordance with our e-mail communications last week. It is my understanding that you will recommend this document to the Commission as a resolution of this matter.

If you have any questions or if you need any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

WILLOUGHBY & HOEFER, P.A.

John M. S. Hoefer

JMSH/cf Enclosures

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BEFORE

THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

OF SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKET NO. 2010-163-WS

IN RE:

Susan Frazier, Complainant/Petitioner v. Utilities Services of South Carolina,)	CONSENT ORDER OF WITHDRAWAL WITH PREJUDICE
Defendant/Respondent)	

This matter is before the Commission pursuant to the May 3, 2010, complaint of Susan Frazier ("Frazier") against Utilities Services of South Carolina, Inc. ("USSC"). The Office of Regulatory Staff is a party pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. §58-4-10(B) (Supp. 2009). By Notice issued May 11, 2010, F. David Butler, Esquire, was appointed Hearing Examiner to preside over this matter. See R.103-804.F of the Commission's rules of practice and procedure.

Mr. Butler has advised the Commission that on July 30, 2010, Ms. Frazier informed him via electronic mail that she was satisfied with USSC's response to her complaint and its commitment to continue monitoring her account to ensure proper billing, that she no longer wished to pursue her complaint, and that she no longer desired to go forward with the hearing scheduled for August 2, 2010.

Mr. Butler also advises the Commission that, by electronic mail on July 30, 2010, counsel for USSC and ORS advised him that their clients consent to a withdrawal of the complaint by Ms. Frazier with prejudice. Thereafter, Mr. Butler issued his directive in this matter on July 30, 2010, suspending the hearing. The request for withdrawal of the complaint by Ms. Frazier is

now before us pursuant to S. C. Code Ann. §58-3-255(E) (Supp. 2009) with Mr. Butler's recommendation that it be granted.

In light of the foregoing, and with the consent of USSC and ORS, Ms. Frazier's request to withdraw her complaint with prejudice is therefore granted.

AND IT IS SO ORDERED.	
Columbia, South Carolina This day of, 2010	John E. Howard Chairman
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David A. Wright Vice Chairman	
I SO MOVE: Susan C. Frazier	WE CONSENT:
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